

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re the Application of:

Yasushi SUGAWA

Serial No. To be assigned

Group Art Unit: TO BE ASSIGNED

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Examiner: TO BE ASSIGNED

For: APPARATUS FOR DETECTING PEAKS OF WAVELENGTH-DIVISION-MULTIPLEXED LIGHT, AND APPARATUS FOR CONTROLLING SAID LIGHT

**PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT**

Commissioner for Patents  
PO Box 1450  
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Sir:

The following amendments and remarks are respectfully submitted.